

CAMPAIGN WORK ON FOR STORES TO SELL CHEAP

Labor Committee Speaker Will
Open Series of Three Tri-City
Addresses Tonight.

D. R. Tanner, Chicago, national
organizer for the National Coopera-
tive association, will open his
speaking campaign in the tri-cities
with an address to be given at 8
o'clock tonight in the Davenport
Turner hall on the cooperative pur-
chase plan.

Thursday night Mr. Tanner will
speak at the industrial hall in Rock
Island and on Friday night he will
speak at the industrial hall in Mo-
line.

Mr. Tanner comes to the tri-
cities under the auspices of the co-
operative purchase plan committee of
the Tri-City Federation of Labor.
This committee is composed of 10
members with Jesse De Wolf, pres-
ident of the Moline carpenters'
union, as chairman, and Harry Hal-
dall, secretary of the carpenters'
district council as secretary.

Mr. Haldall announced today that
the speaker from the National Co-
operative association is one of the
best posted men in the country on

the cooperative purchase plan,
which has been taken up by the
local committee in view of estab-
lishing a central agency through
which families of organized work-
men can buy almost every com-
modity at a little over cost.

Organized labor here has be-
come much interested in the plan
through the activities of the local
committee, which decided the first
of the month to bring in an expert
to explain the entire proposition not
only to organized labor, but to the
public as well.

Cooperative Stores Probable.
It is even predicted that the cen-
tral agency plan may be enlarged
to the extent of establishing co-
operative stores in Davenport, Rock
Island, Moline and East Moline. In
fact, the speaking campaign to be
carried on by Mr. Tanner is looked
upon by the local committee as
really a "feeler" as to the senti-
ment of the community in the mat-
ter.

TAYLOR RIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoyer and
family and Mr. and Mrs. Will
Hoyer visited Saturday in Alton.

Mrs. Charles Dunlap was a
Rock Island passenger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Daniels and
baby daughter Pauline, left Thurs-
day for their home in Hearne,
Sask., Canada, after spending the
winter at the home of Henry Bes-
tan.

The Republican caucus was held
at this village Saturday.

Marc Peterson visited Sunday
afternoon at the home of August F.
Hartman.

METROPOLITAN STORE POLICY CLOSED SHOP

It is a well known fact that the
Metropolitan 5 to 50 cent stores
insist upon the closed shop policy
in all of their 140 stores.

Mr. Farmer, the superintendent
of construction for the Metropoli-
tan 5 to 50 cent stores will employ
nothing but union labor on remodel-
ing, rebuilding or construction
jobs on any of their stores.

The Davenport store is no ex-
ception to this rule as nothing but
union labor has been employed on
this store. Carpenters, plumbers,
steamfitters, brick masons, cement
finishers, electricians, painters,
plasterers, lathers, sheet metal
workers and even common labor
has been union labor, which makes
this job entirely a closed shop.

The Metropolitan 5 to 50 cent
stores have the whole-hearted sup-
port of the Building Trades Coun-
cil of the tri-cities with them in
their good work, which speaks a
great word for organized labor in
the tri-cities.

On Friday afternoon, March 26,
the Metropolitan 5 to 50 cent stores
will hold a formal opening from 2
to 5 o'clock. No goods will be sold
but the place of business will be

open to the public for inspection.
The big opening takes place on
Saturday, March 27.—Adv.

TALK ABOUT TOWN

It's a very dry spring in some re-
spects and so a Rock Island switch-
man made the most of his oppor-
tunity when he struck an oasis the
other evening. Some time later a
fellow worker found him leaning
up against a box car crying bit-
terly.

"Shay," he wailed, "where'sh
fourteen eighty-three. She'sh got a
quart o' whisky on 'er an' I just
gotta fin' 'er? Where is she any-
way?"

The 1483 was within 40 feet of
where he stood and it turned out he
had walked around it three or four
times, but couldn't read the num-
bers.

Little Jerome was 4 years old
the other day. While walking with
an elder brother on his birthday he
was jostled by another boy.

"Say," he protested, swelling up
his small chest, "I guess that boy
don't know I'm 4 years old!"

ELECTION NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that a
township election will be held in
the township of Rock Island, coun-
ty of Rock Island, state of Illinois,
on the sixth day of April, 1920, for
the election of the following town-
ship officers, to-wit:

One supervisor.
Four assistant supervisors.

One assessor.
One town clerk.

One justice of the peace to fill
vacancy.

One constable to fill vacancy.

The precinct polling places will
be as follows:

First—Yoh's barber shop, 413

Fourth avenue.

Second—Grant school.

Third—900 Third avenue.

Fourth—City barn, 919 Sixth

avenue.

Fifth—Garage at 1112 Eighth

avenue.

Sixth—Evangelical church, 1120

Twelfth street.

Seventh—Miller's store, 1600

Twelfth street.

Eighth—Court house.

Ninth—Church, Fourteenth street

and Sixth avenue.

Tenth—Kramer's store, 815 Four-

teenth-and-a-half street.

Eleventh—Ullmeyer's drug

store, 1101 Fifteenth street.

Twelfth—Empire theatre en-

trance.

Thirteenth—Episcopal church,

Nineteenth street and Sixth avenue.

Fourteenth—Cassidy's store, 2016

Ninth avenue.

Fifteenth—Hose house, 527

Twenty-second street.

Sixteenth—Schmid's grocery, 821

Seventeenth street.

Seventeenth—Rear 2529 Fifth-

and-a-half avenue.

Eighteenth—Currier's drug store,

2700 Seventh avenue.

Nineteenth—Hastings and Powe's

store, 1725 Twenty-sixth street.

Twentieth—2736 Seventh avenue.

Twenty-first—631 Thirty-eighth

street.

Twenty-second—Fire station,

1417 Thirtieth street.

Twenty-third—1430 Thirty-eighth

street.

Twenty-fourth—Peterson's car-

pent shop, Forty-fifth street, be-

tween Fifth and Sixth avenue.

Twenty-fifth—Longfellow school,

Forty-first street and Seventh ave-

nue.

Twenty-sixth—4200 Fourteenth

avenue.

Polls will be open at 7 o'clock

a. m. and must close at 8 o'clock

p. m. W. A. FREWERT, Town Clerk.

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